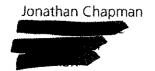


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## Dear M. Chapman,

Thank you for your letter dated 26 July. In it you draw my attention to a statement you released through your lawyers affirming a number of serious inaccuracies in statements made during the Committee's oral evidence session on Tuesday 19 July. You also confirm your willingness fully to cooperate with the Select Committee in its investigations in order to ensure that the truth is established.

The Committee takes any suggestion that it has been misled very seriously. The Committee invites you, therefore, to submit written evidence to the Committee commenting on all the inaccuracies you have identified in the evidence given to the Committee on Tuesday 19 July, and providing what you consider to be a true account.

Please send your response to the Committee secretariat using the contact details above. I would appreciate your response no later than 11 August.

The Committee reserves the right to call you to give oral evidence.

JOHN WHITTINGDALE OBE MP CHAIRMAN

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